

## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLN. NO.:	10/749,820	CONFIRMATION NO.:	9362
APPLICANT:	Michael D. Kotzin	TC/ART UNIT:	2139
FILED:	December 31, 2003	EXAMINER:	Le, Canh
TITLE:	METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DEVICE AUTHENTICATION		

## REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action mailed August 22, 2007 concerning the above-identified application. A Petition for Extension of Time to respond, with fee authorization, is submitted concurrently herewith. This reply is provided in response to the Office Action in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.116. Applicant submits the following amendment and remarks and respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider the rejections made in the Office Action and to allow the claims to issue.

Please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.